

OFFICIAL

Appointments by the President. By and with the advice and consent of the Senate. George Evans, of Maine, Caleb B. Smith, of Indiana, and Robert T. Paine, of North Carolina, to be Commissioners under the act of the Congress of the United States, of the 2d of March, 1849, entitled "An act to carry into effect certain stipulations of the treaty between the United States of America and the Republic of Mexico, of the 2d day of February, 1848."

SUPREME COURT.

The following Opinions have been delivered since our last notice: By RUFFIN, C. J. Gillespie v. Foy, in Equity from Rockingham, declares plaintiff not liable to any part of the personal estate, but that it belongs to the defendants in equal parts. Also, in Dargan v. Waddell, from Anson, awarding a venire de novo. Also, in Barnes v. Simms, in Equity from Edgecombe. Also, in Bell v. Clark, from Chatham, affirming the judgment below. Also, in Lee v. Shelton, from Caswell, affirming the judgment below. Also, in Whitfield v. Hurst, from Wayne, affirming the judgment below. Also, in Den ex dem, Powell v. Baughan, from Northampton, reversing the judgment and directing a venire de novo.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

PHILADELPHIA, March 26.—In flour to-day there is no marked change from Saturday, though the market is a shade duller; sales are reported at 3,000 bbls., including a lot of Southern, at 5 to 5 1/2. Corn is a downward tendency, yellow being 56 to 57, and white 52, with sales in both of 15,000 bushels. Wheat is rather pressing the market, from an over-abundant supply—sales of white at \$1.30. Provisions are easier, with sales of pork to a fair extent at previous prices.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

WHOLESALE PRICES. BACON—Per pound. 7 1/2 to 8 1/2. HAMS—Per pound. 7 1/2 to 8 1/2. LARD—Per pound. 7 1/2 to 8 1/2. COFFEE—Per pound. 7 to 8. SUGAR—Per pound. 7 to 8. RICE—Per pound. 7 to 8. WHEAT—Per bushel. 56 to 57. CORN—Per bushel. 52 to 53.

TURPENTINE LAND FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers for sale his valuable tract of Land, containing about 4 thousand acres, lying on the waters of Little Fox Run, 4 miles above Poston Bed Ferry, and 15 miles North East of Conowingo, in Harri's District, S. C. There is a good dwelling house and other necessary buildings, and from 40 to 50 acres under cultivation. Said Land is well adapted to the culture of cotton, and rice. To any person wishing to engage in the Turpentine business it is an excellent chance, as most of the Land is Weymouth woods, well timbered, and convenient to the river. M 16—71* D. M. JOHNSTON.

Notice

IS hereby given that Books are now open in this place, for subscriptions or Stock in the Cape Fear and Deep River Improvement. A. B. DEKROEGER, Jr., JOHN M. MANNING, JOHN M. MANNING, B. L. HOWSE, W. C. BETTENCOURT, Commissioners at Wilmington, March 23, 1849—[28-41]

FOR SALE.

A HOUSE and LOT, on North side of Market street, and three streets above Boundary. The House is new, and contains six comfortable rooms. There is also a Kitchen and other houses on the Lot. The Lot is 28 feet by 165. Possession given immediately. Apply to C. C. MORESE, February 16, 1849—[32-4]

Anticipated Insurrection in Canada.

The revolutionary demonstrations in Canada are expected to engage the attention of our government. It is stated by a Washington correspondent of the New York Herald that in the event of an outbreak or revolution in Canada, it is the intention of our government to prevent interference on the part of our citizens, and that Gen. Wool will probably be sent to the northern frontier for the purpose of restraining our citizens. Upon this the Herald says: "But this cannot prevent the people on our borders from sympathizing with the Canadians in their efforts to separate from England—Indeed, it is very probable that that class of our population known as free-soilers, will be the very first to break the regulation because it will be their duty to support the cause of England, so that it may be incorporated with this country and increase the strength of their party. However this may be, it is very probable that the action of our government will be the very means of hastening the crisis which appears to be approaching in Canadian affairs, because it will leave the people of that country to determine for themselves. The probability is, from what we have seen recently, that when the step is decided upon, and the blow struck for separation, the whole population of Canada will be favorable to the measure."

MARRIED.

In Fayetteville, on the 20th inst., by the Rev Mr. Buxton, Mr. N. Branson, to Miss Martha Jane Melver, daughter of the late John Melver, of Tallahassee, Florida. In Moore county, on the 8th inst., Mr. Wm. M. Person, to Miss M. A. Jackson, daughter of the late Col. Jackson.

DIED.

At his residence in Duplin county, on the 23d inst., Mr. Wm. Boney, aged 73 years. In Sampson county, N. C., on the 25th inst., Mr. John Sikes, aged 74 years. It may be consolation to his son, and other relatives in Texas, to know that every attention was paid to their aged relative, that humanity could dictate. For the benefit of his grand-children and others, who are in a far distant soil, the papers will confer a favor by noticing this death. [Com.] At Carver's Creek, Bladen County, on the 22d inst., Miss Margaret Benson, aged 23 years, daughter of William and Sarah Benson.

Notice

ALL PERSONS indebted to the subscribers on MONDAY the second day of April, the subscribers will offer to the public, AT COST AND UNDER, all their desirable and well selected stock of French, Irish and American Spring and Summer Goods. There never has been a better stock of goods offered in this market. They will continue to sell from day to day, till all is sold. JOHN KYLE & CO. March 30th. 29-11

Notice

A REPORT having been put in circulation insidious to my character, while acting as substitute for the Agent Walker, I feel bound, in justification of myself, to publish the following letter from the Postmaster General. KINDRED C. POPE. POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, February 7, 1849. Sir—In reply to your letter of the 5th inst., stating that your friend K. C. Pope, having been suspected of a deception in regard to mailable matter, while running as a substitute for Mail Agent Walker, you wish the matter 'thoroughly investigated' you are informed that having no official information of any suspicion, or of any fact that would justify a suspicion of that character, I do not deem it either necessary or proper to direct an investigation. Very respectfully, your obedient servant, W. J. DRAKE, Esq., Postmaster General, Bladenboro' Bladen County, N. C. March 23, 1849—[28-26]

Notice

PHALON'S HAIR INVIGORATOR. Just received a supply of Phalon's Hair Invigorator, to prevent Baldness and restore the Hair that has fallen off or become thin, and to cure of finally scurf or dandruff. For sale by WM. H. LIPPITT, Druggist & Chemist. m23

Notice

WHITE LEAD. Pure Extra and No. 1, a large lot. Also, Chrome green, dry and in oil; Chrome yellow, Spanish brown, Venetian red, &c. For sale by W. H. LIPPITT, Druggist & Chemist. [D29]

A VAST SCHEME TO EXTORT MONEY.

Our sister city of New York has been astounded by the exposure of one of the boldest schemes to extort a large sum of money ever yet arranged. As the Globe says, "It will, no doubt, long be remembered, not only on account of its audacious rascality, and the fearful measures made use of to accomplish the nefarious design, but also as an instance of signal failure in a supposed an excellent well-planned project of fraud, which, had it succeeded, would have enriched the villainous actors in the sum of \$50,000." John Jacob Astor, recently deceased in New York, left the bulk of his property—an immense sum, only to be counted in millions—to his son, William B. Astor. The latter gentleman resides at No. 34 Lafayette Place, and has an office in the upper part of the city. Mr. Astor has received lately several letters from a man signing himself "E. K. Basswood," demanding from him \$50,000, and threatening his life and property, in case of his refusal to give it. The 13th instant was fixed as the last day of grace. Mr. Astor went to the police, and was directed how to act. He advertised in the Herald that the person who had advertised for \$50,000 could receive it by calling. Officers lay in wait. A man named Franklin G. Bragg called for the money, and being handed a package of worthless notes, walked off with it, and was followed by the police officers to a grocery store on the corner of Cliff and Fulton streets, where Bowyer accosted him in relation to the package. He replied that it was a package which he was instructed to leave at the bar of the United States Hotel, addressed to A. R. D. Green, who would call for it. He was then told to go and deliver it, and warned against intimating that he had been spoken to. He delivered it, and as he left the hotel, was arrested. Officer Reed, after waiting at the hotel, observed Bragg approach the bar and ask for the package, which was handed him, and with which he left, followed by officers Bowyer and Reed, to the Battery, and thence to the corner of Maiden Lane and Broadway, where he entered an omnibus, in which officer Bowyer also took a seat, officer Reed remaining outside. At corner of Canal street and Broadway, Bragg got out and entered an exchange office. The officers took him into custody at the corner of Canal and Mercer streets, with the package in his possession, and conducted him to the chief's office. On searching his person, a letter was found, purporting to have been written to him by Basswood, evidently in the same hand, directing him to follow the instructions in an communication, and that a failure would place his own life in jeopardy. The letter set forth that he must go to the United States Hotel and inquire for the package alluded to, which would contain \$50,000 in bills, and that he must get it exchanged, and send it through the post office to a certain address, and that he must, under no pretext, come to any information respecting it, unless he should get into difficulty, in which case he was at liberty to tell all he knew. Since the arrest of Bragg and Bowyer—who, by the way, are brothers-in-law—information has been received by the chief of police, that Mr. William Smith, of St. George's Manor, Long Island, had also received similar threats. These notes were wretchedly executed. He had also other spurious bills, among them two 10's on the Bank of Louisville, Ky. Fayetteville Express, 27th inst.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.

Notice

At a meeting of the Board of Regents on Wednesday last, Vice President Fillmore (ex officio a Regent) was unanimously elected Chancellor of the Smithsonian Institution, in the place of Vice President Dallas, whose term had expired.